<u>REMARKS</u>

Status of claims

Claims 1 and 3-8 are allowed in this application.

CONCLUSION

If the Examiner has any questions or comments or otherwise feels it would be helpful, she is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (972) 731-2288.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fee associated with any of the foregoing papers submitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 50-1515, Conley Rose, P.C.

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